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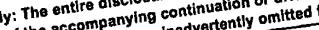
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35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)**

First Named Inventor	LaSalle R. Swenson
Title	DESORPITIVE METHOD FOR DETERMINING A SURFACE PROPERTY OF A SOLID
Atty Docket Number	104362

I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application **has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.** I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

April 27, 2001

Date



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